



Georgia

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday
February 7,
2022

DAILY REPORT

12th
Legislative
Day

House Budget & Research Office
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- The House will reconvene for its 13th Legislative Day on Tuesday, February 8 at 10:00 a.m.
- The Rules Committee will meet at 9:00 a.m.
- Four bills are expected to be debated on the floor.

Today on the Floor

Rules Calendar

HB 780 Retirement and pensions; membership of full-time judges of the state-wide business court in the retirement plan established for appellate court judges; provide

Bill Summary: House Bill 780 transfers all full-time business court judges from the Judicial Retirement System (JRS) to the Employees' Retirement System (ERS) on July 1, 2022. Any full-time business court judge hired after July 1, 2022, would be required to join ERS. The Judicial Retirement System is required to transfer all employee and employer contributions made on behalf of the full-time business court judges to ERS. All judges transferred would receive creditable service toward vesting in the retirement plan for appellate court judges in the full amount they earned as an employee of the state-wide business court. This bill is certified by the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts as a fiscal retirement bill.

Authored By: Rep. Rob Leverett (33rd)
House Retirement
Committee:
Floor Vote: Yeas: 152 Nays: 0

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-01-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

HB 826 Lost Mountain, City of; incorporate

Bill Summary: House Bill 826 authorizes a local referendum for the creation of the city of Lost Mountain. The referendum will be voted on by a call of the Cobb County election superintendent in a special election in November 2022.

The government for the city is composed of a city council consisting of six council members, each serving four-year terms. The city council members are elected through a municipal general election held biennially in odd years.

The city mayor is elected by a majority vote of the council members. The city council is authorized to appoint a city manager to act as the chief administrative officer of the city. The charter creates a municipal court for the city to be presided over by a chief judge.

Authored By: Rep. Ginny Ehrhart (36th)
House Governmental Affairs
Committee:
Floor Vote: Yeas: 92 Nays: 61

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-02-2022 Do Pass by Committee
Action: Substitute
Amendments:

HB 840 Vinings, City of; incorporate

Bill Summary: House Bill 840 authorizes a local referendum for the creation of the city of Vinings. The referendum will be voted on by call of the Cobb County election superintendent in a special election in November 2022.

The government for the city is composed of a city council consisting of a mayor and four council members each serving four-year terms. The city council members are elected through a non-partisan municipal general election held biennially in odd years.

The city council is authorized to appoint a city manager to act as the chief administrative officer of the city. The charter creates a municipal court for the city to be presided over by a chief judge.

Authored By: Rep. John Carson (46th)
House Governmental Affairs
Committee:
Floor Vote: Yeas: 99 Nays: 56

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-02-2022 Do Pass by Committee
Action: Substitute
Amendments:

HB 891 Banking and finance; financial institutions; provide for numerous updates

Bill Summary: House Bill 891 is the annual revision of Title 7 of the Code, relating to banking and finance, by the Georgia Department of Banking and Finance. Superfluous/redundant language is clarified and removed, terminology is updated, and outdated/unnecessary language is removed.

The bill eliminates the reporting requirement of permissible borrowings by department employees. It also increases the credit card limit of employees from \$10,000 to \$25,000, so long as the employee does not have direct examination authority over the entity and continues to report credit card debt.

The bill alters control language in the Code by providing that if no person or entity controls 25 percent or more of a bank or holding company, then the largest shareholder over 10 percent will be subject to change in control processes. The bill also eliminates consideration of convenience and needs in the event of a change of control or acquisition. It clarifies that change in control provisions also apply to financial institutions other than banks. Additionally, it allows an LLC, in addition to a corporation, to merge into a bank or trust company.

HB 891 revises representative office processes by providing that home state laws of a national/out-of-state bank apply to the location unless in conflict with state law. It also adopts the federal law limitation prohibiting a loan production office from closing loans at the location. The language indicating an agent of a bank or holding company can open a representative office is struck. Notice is required prior to closing a representative office.

The bill requires the president of a new credit union to be named at the organizational meeting while eliminating the annual appointment requirement of a president by the board of directors. It removes the requirement for a credit union offering third-party payment services to get approval from the department. Credit union members are prohibited from voting by proxy, and credit union boards are permitted to meet less frequently than once during 10 months of the calendar year with the department's approval. Smaller asset credit unions (assets of \$15 million or less) are permitted to not secure a small signature loan if a car loan already exists, so long as the total combined liability is \$50,000 or less.

The bill modifies law related to bank investors by providing that a passive investor, an investor who does not exercise control and has less than a 25 percent ownership interest, does not have to be vetted and approved by the department. The department may disapprove of an executive officer that did not have to be vetted by the department through the control process.

HB 891 authorizes an installment lending licensee to make a loan of up to \$3,000. The bill additionally repeals the current provision requiring a three percent tax on interest provision collected by installment lenders and replaces it with a percentage fee based on the gross loan amount at the time of funding.

Authored By: Rep. Bruce Williamson (115th)
House Banks & Banking
Committee:
Floor Vote: Yeas: 151 Nays: 0

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-02-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

HB 899 Contracts; legal effects of the discontinuance of LIBOR; provisions

Bill Summary: House Bill 899 addresses the discontinuation of the London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) as the predominant interest-rate average and allows for a recommended benchmark replacement for any contract, security, or instrument that uses LIBOR absent any fallback provisions. The benchmark replacement may or may not be based in whole or in part on a prior LIBOR setting. The benchmark replacement, upon its adoption, shall become a part of the contract, security, or instrument. Discontinuing LIBOR and using a recommended benchmark replacement shall not void, nullify, constitute a breach, or excuse performance under any contract, security, or instrument.

Authorized By:	Rep. Bruce Williamson (115th)	Rule Applied:	Modified-Structured
House	Banks & Banking	Committee	02-02-2022 Do Pass
Committee:		Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 154 Nays: 0	Amendments:	

HB 1055 Motor vehicles; revise definition of all-terrain vehicle

Bill Summary: House Bill 1055 increases the defined weight limit for an "all-terrain vehicle" from 2,500 pounds to 3,500 pounds.

Authorized By:	Rep. Jason Ridley (6th)	Rule Applied:	Modified-Structured
House	Motor Vehicles	Committee	02-01-2022 Do Pass
Committee:		Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 150 Nays: 2	Amendments:	

Postponed Until Next Legislative Day**HB 961 Torts; authorize apportionment of damages in single-defendant lawsuits; provide for evidence of fault of nonparties**

Bill Summary: House Bill 961 amends Code Section 51-12-33 to authorize apportionment of damages in single-defendant lawsuits rather than solely in multi-defendant lawsuits. In lawsuits against one or more defendants, following a reduction of damages attributed to the plaintiff's percentage of fault, the damages shall be apportioned to the liable person or persons according to each person's percentage of fault.

Authorized By:	Rep. Chuck Efstraction (104th)	Rule Applied:	Structured
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Local Calendar**HB 872 Gwinnett County; Board of Education; revise district boundaries**

Bill Summary: House Bill 872 revises the education district boundaries of the Gwinnett County Board of Education.

Authorized By:	Rep. Samuel Park (101st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1032 Charlton County; Board of Commissioners; change district provisions

Bill Summary: House Bill 1032 changes the provisions relating to the Charlton County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. John Corbett (174th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1101 Early County; school district ad valorem tax; provide homestead exemption

Bill Summary: House Bill 1101 revises the administrative provisions regarding submission of documentation regarding income for an Early County school district homestead exemption.

Authorized By:	Rep. Gerald Greene (151st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1102 Early County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1102 changes the description of the Early County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Gerald Greene (151st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1104 Cook County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1104 changes the description of the Cook County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Penny Houston (170th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1105 Cook County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1105 changes the description of the Cook County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Penny Houston (170th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1106 Wilcox County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1106 changes the description of the Wilcox County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Noel Williams (148th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1108 Putnam County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1108 changes the description of the Putnam County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Trey Rhodes (120th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1109 Griffin-Spalding County; Board of Education; reconstitute

Bill Summary: House Bill 1109 reconstitutes the Griffin-Spalding County Board of Education.

Authored By:	Rep. Karen Mathiak (73rd)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1110 Spalding County; Board of Commissioners; reconstitute and change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1110 reconstitutes the Spalding County Board of Commissioners.

Authored By:	Rep. Karen Mathiak (73rd)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1111 Pierce County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1111 changes the description of the Pierce County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Steven Meeks (178th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1112 Pierce County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1112 changes the description of the Pierce County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Steven Meeks (178th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1113 Ben Hill County; Board of Commissioners; reconstitute and change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1113 reconstitutes the Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners.

Authored By:	Rep. Clay Pirkle (155th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1114 Jackson County; School System; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1114 changes the description of the Jackson County School System's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Tommy Benton (31st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1115 Commerce, City of; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1115 changes the description of the education districts for the Commerce Independent School District.

Authored By:	Rep. Tommy Benton (31st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1116 Jackson County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1116 adds a fifth member to the Jackson County Board of Commissioners and changes the description of the districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Tommy Benton (31st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1117 Bryan County; State Court; authorize collection of technology fee

Bill Summary: House Bill 1117 authorizes the assessment and collection of a technology fee by the Bryan County State Court.

Authored By:	Rep. Ron Stephens (164th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1118 Cherokee County; Board of Education; revise districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1118 revises the districts for the Cherokee County Board of Education.

Authored By:	Rep. Mandi Ballinger (23rd)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1119 Decatur County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1119 changes the description of the Decatur County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Joe Campbell (171st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1122 Decatur County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1122 changes the description of the Decatur County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Joe Campbell (171st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1123 Glynn County; Board of Education; provide new district boundaries

Bill Summary: House Bill 1123 provides new district boundaries for the Glynn County Board of Education.

Authored By:	Rep. Don Hogan (179th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1124 Houston County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1124 changes the description of the Houston County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Shaw Blackmon (146th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1125 Ben Hill County; Board of Education; provide new district boundaries

Bill Summary: House Bill 1125 provides new district boundaries for the Ben Hill County Board of Education.

Authored By:	Rep. Clay Pirkle (155th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1126 McIntosh County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1126 changes the description of the McIntosh County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Buddy DeLoach (167th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1127 Whitfield County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1127 changes the description of the Whitfield County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Kasey Carpenter (4th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1128 Whitfield County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1128 changes the description of the Whitfield County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Kasey Carpenter (4th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1129 Charlton County; Board of Education; change district provisions

Bill Summary: House Bill 1129 changes the provisions relating to the Charlton County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. John Corbett (174th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1135 Coweta County; Board of Education; provide new district boundaries

Bill Summary: House Bill 1135 provides new district boundaries for the Coweta County Board of Education.

Authorized By:	Rep. Lynn Smith (70th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1136 Coweta County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1136 changes the description of the Coweta County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Lynn Smith (70th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1139 Tattnall County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1139 changes the description of the Tattnall County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. William Werkheiser (157th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1140 Banks County; Board of Education; provide new districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1140 provides new education districts for the Banks County Board of Education.

Authorized By:	Rep. Chris Erwin (28th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1141 Banks County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1141 changes the description of the Banks County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Chris Erwin (28th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1142 Athens, City of; Clarke County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1142 changes the description of the Athens-Clarke County School System's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Houston Gaines (117th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

HB 1143 Cherokee County; Board of Commissioners; revise districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1143 revises the districts for the election of members to the Cherokee County Board of Commissioners.

Authored By:	Rep. Mandi Ballinger (23rd)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

SB 347 White County; new commissioner districts; provide

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 347 provides new districts for the White County Board of Commissioners.

Authored By:	Sen. Steve Gooch (51st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

SB 362 Lanier County Building Authority; definition of "project"; revise

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 362 revises the definition of "project" as defined in the Lanier County Building Authority local law.

Authored By:	Sen. Russ Goodman (8th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

SB 365 Board of Commissioners of Carroll County; descriptions of the commissioner districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 365 changes the description of the Carroll County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Sen. Mike Dugan (30th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

SB 367 Lumpkin County Board of Education; description of the education districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 367 changes the description of the Lumpkin County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Sen. Steve Gooch (51st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-04-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

SB 368 Board of Education of White County; new education districts; provide

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 368 provides for new districts for the White County Board of Education.

Authored By:	Sen. Steve Gooch (51st)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 148 Nays: 7	Amendments:	

SB 373 Board of Commissioners of Haralson County; election of members of the board of commissioners; revise the districts

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 373 revises the districts for the election of members of the Haralson County Board of Commissioners.

Authored By: Sen. Jason Anavitarte (31st)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 148 Nays: 7

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-04-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

Next on the Floor from the Committee on Rules

The Committee on Rules has fixed the calendar for the 13th Legislative Day, Tuesday, February 8, and bills may be called at the pleasure of the Speaker. The Rules Committee will next meet on Tuesday, February 8, at 9:00 a.m., to set the Rules Calendar for the 14th Legislative Day.

HB 56 Blue Ridge Judicial Circuit; superior court; provide additional judge

Bill Summary: House Bill 56 increases the number of judges for superior courts in the Blue Ridge Judicial Circuit from three to four. The additional judge shall be appointed by the governor for a term beginning July 1, 2022, until December 31, 2024. A successor shall be elected at the non-partisan judicial election held in 2024, and the elected successor shall take office January 1, 2025.

Authored By: Rep. Wesley Cantrell (22nd)
House Judiciary
Committee:

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 01-25-2022 Do Pass by Committee
Action: Substitute

HB 263 Retirement; benefits for judges of probate courts; revise method through which certain actuarial equivalents are determined

Bill Summary: House Bill 263 revises the computation method for the spousal benefits, as a designated survivor, under judges of the probate courts to using an interest rate and current mortality table adopted by the board. This bill is certified by the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts as a fiscal retirement bill.

Authored By: Rep. Mitchell Scoggins (14th)
House Retirement
Committee:

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-01-2022 Do Pass by Committee
Action: Substitute

HB 1045 Workers compensation; dissolution of Subsequent Injury Trust Fund; extend time period

Bill Summary: House Bill 1045 revises the year from 2022 to 2026 at which the required rate of contributions for new or newly covered employers to make into unemployment insurance increases from 2.64 percent of wages to 2.7 percent of wages. The bill revises the rate table that applies to variations of the contribution rate by making §34-8-155(e) apply until December 31, 2026, with §34-8-155(c) applying for any variations after that time. HB 1045 also extends the administrative assessment of .06 percent on all wages from December 31, 2022, until December 31, 2026. The repeal date of Article 6 of Chapter 8 of Title 34 is revised from January 1, 2023, to January 1, 2027. Further, the dissolution date of the Subsequent Injury Trust Fund is changed from December 31, 2023, to December 31, 2025.

Authored By: Rep. Houston Gaines (117th)
House Industry and Labor
Committee:

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-02-2022 Do Pass by Committee
Action: Substitute

Committee Actions

Bills passing committees are reported to the Clerk's Office and are placed on the General Calendar.

Intragovernmental Coordination Committee

SB 211 Probate Court of Crisp County; office of judge; future elections; provide

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 211 provides that future elections for the office of the probate court judge of Crisp County shall be non-partisan elections.

Authored By:	Sen. Carden Summers (13th)	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
House	Intragovernmental Coordination	Action:	
Committee:			

Intragovernmental Coordination - Local Committee

HB 872 Gwinnett County; Board of Education; revise district boundaries

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Authored By:	Rep. Samuel Park (101st)	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Action:	
Committee:	Local		

HB 1032 Charlton County; Board of Commissioners; change district provisions

Bill Summary: House Bill 1032 changes the provisions relating to the Charlton County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Rep. John Corbett (174th)	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Action:	
Committee:	Local		

HB 1099 Laurens County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1099 changes the description of the Laurens County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Matt Hatchett (150th)	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Action:	
Committee:	Local		

HB 1100 Laurens County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1100 changes the description of the Laurens County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Rep. Matt Hatchett (150th)	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Action:	
Committee:	Local		

HB 1101 Early County; school district ad valorem tax; provide homestead exemption

Bill Summary: House Bill 1101 revises the administrative provisions regarding submission of documentation regarding income for an Early County school district homestead exemption.

Authored By:	Rep. Gerald Greene (151st)	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Action:	
Committee:	Local		

HB 1155 Gordon County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1155 changes the description of the Gordon County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Matt Barton (5th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1156 Johnson County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1156 changes the description of the Johnson County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Matt Hatchett (150th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1157 Johnson County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1157 changes the description of the Johnson County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Matt Hatchett (150th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1159 Calhoun County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1159 changes the description of the Calhoun County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Gerald Greene (151st)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1160 Clay County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1160 changes the description of the Clay County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Gerald Greene (151st)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1161 Clay County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1161 changes the description of the Clay County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Gerald Greene (151st)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1162 Telfair County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1162 changes the description of the Telfair County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Robert Pruitt (149th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1163 Dodge County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1163 changes the description of the Dodge County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Robert Pruitt (149th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1164 Dodge County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1164 changes the description of the Dodge County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Robert Pruitt (149th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1165 Wheeler County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1165 changes the description of the Wheeler County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Robert Pruitt (149th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1166 Lee County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1166 changes the description of the Lee County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Bill Yearta (152nd)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1167 Taliaferro County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1167 changes the description of the Taliaferro County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Trey Rhodes (120th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1168 Turner County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1168 changes the description of the Turner County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Clay Pirkle (155th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1169 Turner County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1169 changes the description of the Turner County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Clay Pirkle (155th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1170 Thomas County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1170 changes the description of the Thomas County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Darlene Taylor (173rd)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1171 Monroe County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1171 changes the description of the Monroe County Board of Education's districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Robert Dickey (140th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1172 Monroe County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1172 changes the description of the Monroe County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. Robert Dickey (140th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1173 Morgan County; Board of Commissioners; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1173 changes the description of the Morgan County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authorized By:	Rep. D. C. Belton (112th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1174 Morgan County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1174 changes the composition and description of the education districts from which members of the Morgan County Board of Education are elected.

Authorized By:	Rep. D. C. Belton (112th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1190 Bartow County; Board of Education; provide new district boundaries

Bill Summary: House Bill 1190 provides new district boundaries for the Bartow County Board of Education.

Authorized By:	Rep. Mitchell Scoggins (14th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

HB 1191 Bremen, City of; Municipal Court; charge technology fee

Bill Summary: House Bill 1191 authorizes the Bremen Municipal Court to charge a technology fee.

Authorized By:	Rep. Tyler Smith (18th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

SB 347 White County; new commissioner districts; provide

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 347 provides new districts for the White County Board of Commissioners.

Authorized By:	Sen. Steve Gooch (51st)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

SB 362 Lanier County Building Authority; definition of "project"; revise

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 362 revises the definition of "project" as defined in the Lanier County Building Authority local law.

Authorized By:	Sen. Russ Goodman (8th)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

SB 368 Board of Education of White County; new education districts; provide

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 368 provides for new districts for the White County Board of Education.

Authorized By:	Sen. Steve Gooch (51st)		
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	

Public Safety & Homeland Security Committee**HB 347 State sexual offender registry; assessment classifications; revise certain risk**

Bill Summary: House Bill 347 amends the sexual offender registry Code relating to petitions for being released from registration requirements by requiring two conditions be met rather than one or the other. Those conditions are that 10 years have passed since the person completed all prison, parole, supervised release, and probation; and the person has been classified as a Level I risk assessment classification.

Authorized By:	Rep. Joseph Gullett (19th)		
House	Public Safety & Homeland Security	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:		Action:	

HB 1146 Motor vehicles; law enforcement vehicles be equipped with primarily blue flashing or revolving lights; provide

Bill Summary: House Bill 1146 requires that the vehicles driven by officers enforcing traffic be equipped with flashing lights, primarily blue in color, and removes the restriction on the Georgia State Patrol having more than two vehicles per post without such exterior-mounted roof lights.

Authorized By:	Rep. Jodi Lott (122nd)		
House	Public Safety & Homeland Security	Committee	02-07-2022 Do Pass
Committee:		Action:	

Committee Meeting Schedule

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9:00 AM	RULES COMMITTEE	341 CAP	VIDEO	Agenda
10:00 AM	FLOOR SESSION (LD 13)	House Chamber	VIDEO	
1:00 PM	Natural Resources and Environment Resource Management Subcommittee	606 CLOB HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
1:00 PM	Insurance Property & Casualty Subcommittee	406 CLOB HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
1:30 PM	Judiciary Scoggins Subcommittee	132 CAP HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
2:00 PM	HOUSE HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE	606 CLOB HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
2:00 PM	Judiciary Non-Civil Smith Subcommittee	132 CAP HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
2:00 PM	RETIREMENT COMMITTEE	406 CLOB HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
2:00 PM	Regulated Industries Regulatory Subcommittee	506 CLOB HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
2:30 PM	Regulated Industries Occupational / Professional Licensing Subcommittee	506 CLOB HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
3:00 PM	Governmental Affairs Redistricting and Elections Special Subcommittee	341 CAP HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda